UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CARL and ALICIA FURMAN)	
Plaintiffs))	
v.) Civil Action No	-
JOHN RUGER and RUGER ASSOCIATES, Inc.,)	
Defendants		71 RWZ

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

In accordance with Local Rule 83.5.2 of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts the below named attorney enters an appearance as counsel for Defendants John Ruger and Ruger Associates, Inc.:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true copies of the foregoing pleading has been served upon counsel for Plaintiff, via U.S. Mail, addressed as follows:

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